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From: ihnp4.ucsd.edu!usc!howland.reston.ans.net!pipex!demon!llondel.demon.co.uk!

dave@network.ucsd.edu

Subject: 9k6 baud TheNet X-1J parameters?

To: ham-digital@ucsd.edu

In article <CMpzps.7p3@avalon.chinalake.navy.mil> Jan A. Barglowski
 <jan@archimedes.chinalake.navy.mil> writes:
>Hello all!

>I'm putting up a 9k6 baud TheNet node soon, and I'd like any >suggestions as to the timing parameters that it should have. >I know they should be different than 1200 baud, but I don't >really have much experience with 9k6...

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As a rough guide, TXDelay depends on your radio - you need to allow for the radio to key up (which can be anything from very small for a good PIN-switched xtal rig to very large for a grotty relay-switched synth rig) and for the RX modem to lock to the incoming signal.

For actual parameters, you can reduce FRACK and RESPTIME (sorry for using TNC2speak but more people can relate to it) such that RESPTIME is slightly bigger than the time taken to send MAXFRAME packets and FRACK is slightly over twice this amount (to allow for MAXFRAME coming back and the RR frame).

If you have a \*really\* good dedicated link then you can try MAXFRAME larger than two, but watch the throughput and be prepared to tweak it until it works best.

The level 3/4 stuff is probably best left alone, especially if you need to interact with a 1200baud network, because the delays in that network will still be fairly significant.

>Another thing -- TheNet X-1J allows the use of MTU's larger >than 255. Is this an advantage to TCP/IP users, and in >particular 9k6 baud use, where the increased packet sizes >could increase thruput?

Depends..... there is a warning about dire consequences of increasing the MTU so if you do it, be prepared for some interesting results!

Note that all of the above is applicable to (half duplex) links of any speed, not just 9600 (Full duplex is another matter entirely!) Basically, take them as a starting point and experiment for the best results. After all, that is partly why we are playing radio!

Dave

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* G4WRW @ GB7WRW.#41.GBR.EU AX25
                        Start at the beginning. Go on
                     *
until the end. Then stop.
* g4wrw@g4wrw.ampr.org
                         (the king to the white rabbit) *
                Amprnet *
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Date: 16 Mar 1994 15:23:36 GMT

From: kb2ear.ampr.org!kb2ear!kb2ear@princeton.edu

Subject: APRS v4.02

To: ham-digital@ucsd.edu

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I have uploaded aprs402.zip to ucsd.edu:/hamradio/packet/tcpip/incoming.
73,
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From: ihnp4.ucsd.edu!agate!usenet.ins.cwru.edu!news.ysu.edu!yfn.ysu.edu!
ad848@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: BayPac to TM-241a
To: ham-digital@ucsd.edu
  I have a BayPac Packet Modem and would like to hook it to my
Kenwood TM-241a Mobile. I'm in need of the pin configuration to properly
hook up the Packet Modem. The TM-241a has an 8-Pin mic connector.
  Thx for any help anyone can offer! (Please reply via EMail)
     ...Jim (KB8NHT)
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pipex!uknet!uos-ee!ee.surrey.ac.uk!M.Willis@network.ucsd.edu
Subject: Best cars for mobile HF/VHF??
To: ham-digital@ucsd.edu
In article <CMIACE.D9C@hpqmoea.sqf.hp.com>, dstock@hpqmoca.sqf.hp.com (David
Stockton) writes:
|>
      I'm happy with my choice, a Diesel powered Range-Rover derivative
|>
|> called a "Discovery"
|>
     Give serious thought to Diesels, no ignition, no computers
|>
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## l> David GM4ZNX

Yes, but at a mere 18,000 pounds not many can afford such a car. Practically, I found the Cavallier reasonable RF quiet. Fiat Uno, too noisy. Diesels are definately better, they have a bigger battery too.

Mike

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Date: Thu, 17 Mar 1994 05:04:38 GMT

From: netcomsv!netcom.com!wroth@decwrl.dec.com

Subject: DSP-12

To: ham-digital@ucsd.edu

Bruce Hunt (cascade@iinet.com.au) wrote:

: Can someone please advise the latest available release number for the

: DSP-12. I have release 1.99

## Hi Bruce,

Software support for the dsp 12 is badly lacking, but there is a newer version than you have. I took a look at my GCE display, which shows 2.00. However, I think there have been a bunch of beta versions between yours and mine. I searched my disk for a zip file, but I don't seem to have it now. If you cannnot find it elsewhere, I may be able to locate it. Let me know via mail, and whether or not you can undecode files.

73's, Wayne WA2N.

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wroth@netcom.com

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Date: Wed, 16 Mar 1994 17:43:34 GMT

From: iat.holonet.net!ctobbs!kim.leong@uunet.uu.net

Subject: Heatkit HD-4040 TNC To: ham-digital@ucsd.edu

Well, after many years of inactivity, I have unburied the TNC I used to use when on packet. It is a Heathkit HD-4040 and I am curious to find out if any one knows whether or not it can be brought up to current standards.

Thank you very much,

Kim Leong WA6QQF

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Date: Wed, 16 Mar 1994 22:18:44 GMT

From: ihnp4.ucsd.edu!sdd.hp.com!portal!combdyn!lawrence@network.ucsd.edu

Subject: Plans for DCD-3105 board

To: ham-digital@ucsd.edu

I have some TNCs and some baycom boards on my multiport Packet BBS.

I was reading through the manual for one of the TNCs (DRSI DPK-2), and it talks about a DCD board option that basically goes inbetween the TCM3105 chip and its socket.

Having DCD has shown itself to be nice with the Software DCD that the KPC-3 TNC does. I have problems with Intermod and frontend overload problems, etc.

Without having to buy the board itself, are there plans on how to build this DCD unit?

And, would anybody know if it would work on Baycom modems built around the same chip.

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Date: 17 Mar 94 19:16:37 GMT From: news-mail-gateway@ucsd.edu Subject: SWEDEN CALLING DXERS To: ham-digital@ucsd.edu

Subject: Time:1:15 PM
OFFICE MEMO SWEDEN CALLING DXERS Date:3/17/94
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